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Shepherd--Just a Mere Man--Visits Longchamps Race Course, Where Fashion Makers First Flash Their Freaks



By WILLIAM G. SHEPHERD

Paris, Dec. 9.—If you're a male you get \$1 to get into this place where the women's styles of the world are made. If you're not it costs you \$2. The place is the Longchamps race course, in the suburbs of Paris.

It's worth the money to visit the place once.

There is probably no place in the world where human beings are less natural. It outdoes the stage for artifice. On the stage folks make a show of being what they are not. Here beneath it all they want you to remember that they are actors. But at Longchamps the folks even try to make you believe that they are not actors.

Women stroll about in new creations that are being worn for the first time. Here goes a girl, for instance, who is wearing a dress the like of which has never before enraptured the female form. For all she knows, it's a lie, it will cover a hundred million female forms before the new fashion she is setting will die out.

I was with a rich young American who plays the horses at Longchamps every day.

"There goes the girl who wore the first 'bob' skirt," he said, pointing to a tall slender blonde. Believe me, there was almost a panic here the day she came out. By the next Sunday every third model at the track was wearing a bobbed skirt. It was the first time the money to visit the place once.

Today the dress fashion plate who was responsible for the fact that even yet many of the reds in France are still bobbing, was shaped, her skirt, like a funnel, with the small end down. Her trunk made her shoulders lumpy

and, it was wrapped around her neck, a white scarf that was worth \$10,000.

I noticed that every woman's gown consisted of sort of cutaway coat, like a man's.

It was also noticed that almost every woman had long for neckpiece, which she wore under her chin, with the ends hanging down over her shoulders and down her back.

Society women, however, don't need to go to Longchamps to see the fashions. The photographers snap the models, the course, and the best of the pictures appear in the morning papers, with the address of the dressmakers. This, of course, is a paid advertisement.

Fashionable women men are hired by the dressmakers to walk about the paddock with the girls. I noticed,

however, that the races were over, most of the brilliantly dressed girls rode away not even in tatters, but riding with ordinarily dressed young women, who seemed to me to be either their brothers or sweethearts who had come to take them home.

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son, James, are making a two-week visit with old friends in Hamilton, Bradford, London and Buffalo.

Mrs. Edward Pierson, of this city, is visiting her sister at Niagara Falls. Mrs. Richardson reported on the work done in the hospital.

The secretary was asked to write letters of sympathy to Mrs. Corbin upon the death of her husband, and Mr. Turner upon the death of his wife, who died here last night at her home on College Campus.

The next party meeting will be held in the Day Nursery the second Tuesday in January. Mrs. Upster and Mrs. Hill will be the hostesses.

The program was served by Mrs. Pratt and a social time enjoyed by Mrs. BLACKHEATH W. F. M. S.

The Blackheath W. F. M. S. held its December meeting in the church, with a rather smaller attendance than usual. After opening with a hymn and prayer led by the president, the service was given by the members, instead of the usual Bible reading. The customary business was transacted, members' fees for the coming year paid, and the following officers elected: President, Miss. Mrs. George H. Lee; Secretary, Mrs. George H. Lee; Treasurer, Mrs. G. W. Lee; and Auditors, Mrs. G. W. Lee.

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CENTRAL W. C. T. U.

Central W. C. T. U. held a parlor meeting in the Day Nursery on Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. J. H. Pratt, president, in the chair. Mrs. Clunas conducted the opening devotional exercises.

The report of the secretary, Mrs. Palmer, and treasurer, Mrs. Arthur Boyd, were satisfactory.

Mrs. George H. Lee gave out the medals for distribution in the schools. 18 in number. Mrs. Arthur Boyd presented Mrs. George H. Lee with her county line membership badge.

Richardson reported on the work done in the hospital.

The secretary was asked to write letters of sympathy to Mrs. Corbin upon the death of her husband, and Mr. Turner upon the death of his wife, who died here last night at her home on College Campus.

The next party meeting will be held in the Day Nursery the second Tuesday in January. Mrs. Upster and Mrs. Hill will be the hostesses.

The program was served by Mrs. Pratt and a social time enjoyed by Mrs. BLACKHEATH W. F. M. S.

The Blackheath W. F. M. S. held its December meeting in the church, with a rather smaller attendance than usual. After opening with a hymn and prayer led by the president, the service was given by the members, instead of the usual Bible reading. The customary business was transacted, members' fees for the coming year paid, and the following officers elected: President, Miss. Mrs. George H. Lee; Secretary, Mrs. George H. Lee; Treasurer, Mrs. G. W. Lee; and Auditors, Mrs. G. W. Lee.

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EDUCATION OF THE FOREIGNERS

School Board Asked to Assist Rabbi Minkin.

WEST NEEDS SCHOOL.

But East End Must be Provided First.

The Board of Education last evening had the last of its meetings for the current year. Most of the members were present and a lively, though short, session ensued.

Before the regular business, the board listened to Rabbi Minkin, who for some time has been conducting night schools for foreigners in the Huggan street synagogue, and subsequently in one of the city schools. This gentleman, who on so many occasions has been invited to speak at the meetings of the board, was introduced by himself and Mrs. Minkin, who conducted from 10 to 11 a. m. ago, to over 60 at the present time, necessitating the engaging of two assistants, both teachers in the local schools.

Rabbi Minkin said that he thought it was the board's duty to assist him and other workers in the very laudable work of educating the large influx of foreigners. He explained that it was not a religious question, but purely a scholastic one. The rabbi made remarks with an appeal to the board to render him and other workers some assistance of a monetary nature.

Trustee Allan moved that the chairman of the finance and the chairman of the committee communicate with Rabbi Minkin and determine what could be done in the matter.

This course of action was decided upon.

Trustee Armstrong informed the board of the building committee's plans for a new school. He stated that the committee advised the erection of a 30-room school upon Ottawa street north, the addition of 12 rooms to the Barton street school and six rooms to the Huggan street school. A water supply for the Ottawa street school was also desired.

Trustee Armstrong and Clarke moved that the finance committee be instructed to ask the City Council to issue debentures for the use of the building committee in these improvements.

Trustee J. Orr Calhoun wanted to know if the building committee were looking after the southwestern sections as well as the east and west. He complained that the southwestern citizens are still in greater need of school accommodation.

To this Trustee Armstrong replied that the building committee was doing all in its power for both the east and west, but that the eastern district was at present in far greater need than the west. He acknowledged, however, that the west would very soon require further accommodation, but, as yet, the committee had its hands full and could not undertake anything new. The motion was adopted unanimously.

The reports of the different committees were read and passed upon.

The following petitions were presented and approved of:

E. Boyle's resignation from Sir John school; Miss Burns' request for leave of absence; A. McKinnon for salary increase; A. E. Smith for a position on public school staff; W. S. Long, caretaker Ottawa street school, for increase in salary; Thos. Goddard, for increase in salary.

A letter was received from Mr. Richard and asking that the board investigate the loss of a deposit of 75 cents placed by his son, a scholar, in a local bank.

A letter was also read from Sir John M. Gilson in reference to the school funds, which in future will be looked after by the Board of Education.

The resignation of Trustee Thomas W. Watkins was then read and accepted, although the board voiced its general regret that Mr. Watkins was forced, through press of other matters, to sever his connection with the board.

The chairman drew the attention of the board at the commencement to be held at the Hamilton Collegiate on December 20th, inviting the members to be present.

Trustee Callaghan took occasion to warn the building committee to be on the lookout for new quarters, as the board will very soon have to vacate those which it now occupies.

Trustee Armstrong, responding, saying that the Board of Control would have to be heard from before anything definite could be done in this respect.

The meeting was then adjourned.

Treble's Stores Open To-night.

Treble's two stores to-night and to-morrow are alive with hundreds of great opportunities. No previous December in the history of these two stores has been productive of greater values than these. To attempt newspaper mention of all would be a hopeless task.

Take the few that are advertised on back page to-night as mere indications of the general trend of truly extraordinary values.

Both stores open to-night and every night until 11 o'clock; Saturdays, 11 o'clock.

GOOD REFERENCES

Given by Hawthorne in the Fraud Case.

New York, Dec. 12.—When post-office inspectors made their first raid on the Hawthorne case, the Canadian mining company, promoted by Julian Hawthorne, former Mayor of New York, and his associates, the post-office inspectors found a letter addressed to several well-known prominent men for Hawthorne, as to the character of the company and its reputation. This came out in a letter written by Hawthorne to the post-office inspectors and read by Assistant District Attorney J. H. Dorr at the trial of the promoter for fraudulent purposes. In this letter, as it was read in the court, Hawthorne said that all the promotion literature of the mining enterprise was prepared by himself subject to approval of the directors.

"If you wish to know anything further about my character or reputation," the Hawthorne letter read, "I refer you to Col. Theodore Roosevelt, Wm. J. Bryan, Jos. H. Choate, Whiteley Reid, Arthur Brisbane, Wm. Randolph Hearst, Joseph Pulitzer, or Wm. D. Howells."

Most of the day was taken up with the examination of the Hawthorne letter. Secretary-Treasurer of the mining company, regarding the bookkeeping methods.

HOME RULE BILL

Passes Committee Stage in British Commons.

Hot Debate On Flag For Ireland.

London, Dec. 12.—The committee stage of the Home Rule Bill was completed in the House of Commons last night amid exciting demonstrations and counter demonstrations. The House adjourned, Premier Asquith and his Ministers were given an ovation as they left the chamber.

Mr. Hammersey (Unionist) moved a resolution providing that the Union Jack shall continue to be the official flag of Ireland after the measure passed. He also urged that the flag should be hoisted in a conspicuous place and kept flying over the building of Irish Parliament each day while the Irish Parliament was in session. He urged that the Union Jack should be the flag of the Nationalist's present professions of loyalty to the Empire, and he considered such a test also necessary, having regard to their past delinquency. There ought to be one flag for the whole Empire. The clause was defeated by 130 of a majority.

A FLAG FOR IRELAND.

In the debate on the proposal to make it compulsory that the Union Jack should fly over the Irish Parliament building, Mr. Hammersey, of the South Down, in behalf of the Nationalist, spoke disparagingly of the Union Jack.

Mr. Balfour indignantly rebuked Mr. Hammersey for the insult to the flag. He said that the Union Jack was the flag of the United States make of the flag, and reminded the Irish leader of how difficult he had made the realization of the hope of a loyal and contented Ireland, by the means of furious hatred of the flag which he and his colleagues for years had been teaching.

Mr. John Redmond replied in a speech full of loyal expressions, that the Union Jack would be flown in a context of Ireland when Home Rule was passed. He added that no doubt Ireland would have its own flag, but the two would be flown side by side.

Mr. Watson Rutherford moved a new clause providing that every person who is domiciled in Ireland when the act becomes law, and thereby enjoys the status of a citizen subject of the United Kingdom, shall have the right to renounce Irish domicile of Great Britain, thereby retaining all the rights and privileges of British citizenship as distinguished from Irish citizenship.

The proposal, after some discussion, was withdrawn. Sir Philip Madden moved to restrict the Irish Parliament from repealing or amending the existing medical act and dental act. His object was to preserve the present uniform standard of examination so as to safeguard proficiency of medical education. Two other clauses, one seeking to deprive suspended the Habeas corpus act, and the other that the constitution of Dublin University and Trinity College should not be affected by the Irish Parliament, were taken.

The Marquis of Eglinton moved a clause with the object of preserving the rights of the Society of Freemasons in Ireland. He said the provision was desired by the whole body of Freemasons in Ireland.

Mr. Birrell, admitting himself to be a Freemason, said the Government considered that the society was entitled to be left alone. He said the society was not a secret society, and he was not in favor of its being treated as such. He then introduced a clause

IS NOT THIS A FINE IDEA?

A NUMBER of our customers have bought what they call "Club Gifts" that is, several members of the family have contributed and bought furniture for some particular room for the pleasure and comfort of the whole family. There are two who have bought dining room sets of golden oak, pretty buffet, fine extension table and leather seated oak chairs, all for \$65.00. Won't those two families have a fine time at the Christmas family feast?

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Then you know what to buy for him. What? Of course a **SMOKER'S TABLE** the kind that is fitted with brass cups for cigars and matches, cigar cutters, ash trays, boxes with moisteners, a place to keep his tobacco, everything a smoker uses. Made in fumed oak or early English. From \$5.00 up to \$12.00.

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EASY CHAIRS And they are Easy Chairs worthy of the name, because they are easy and comfortable. Most of them are made with heavy wire frames, which give with the motion of the body. The seats are upholstered with deep steel tempered springs, covered in denim, tapestry or real leather. Prices \$13.50 to \$50.00.

CARD TABLES Specially made for a man's room. Early English or fumed oak, card table and cellarette combined, the pedestal of the table being fitted with compartments for pipes, tobacco, etc. Prices \$10.00 to \$20.00.

READING LAMPS For the den or library, some of them with wood frames, fitted with opal glass and brass trimmings, some of them all brass. \$4.00 to \$22.00.

ELASTIC BOOKCASES Not a bad gift for a man who is proud of his books. Start the boy right with a stack of two or three sections, which he can add to when the books increase.

Den Clocks Fumed Oak or Early English; makes a nice gift for a den or living room. There's never too many clocks in a house—always room for one more. They have appropriate cases, and are good timekeepers. \$2.50, \$3.75, \$5.00, \$8.00 and \$10.00.

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Fine Gift for a Man
A Cheffoniere
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PRINCESS DRESSERS A pretty Dresser for a young lady's bedroom, especially in the white enamel finish. Three roomy drawers, oval mirror. Price \$12.00.

LADY'S DRESSING TABLE For Milady's boudoir, oak or mahogany, dull or polished; very handsome with oval mirror, at \$11.75 and \$13.50.

MAHOGANY SEWING TABLES We have two exquisite solid Mahogany Sewing Tables—one a Colonial Pedestal Table, square top with folding leaves, drawers all partitioned off for thread, etc.; the other one is round shape, with all kinds of space for sewing, thread, needles, spools, etc.

KITCHEN CABINET For the woman who has to do her own work, Mr. Husband, there's nothing you could give your wife that would please her so much for the day or remind her daily during the year of your thoughtfulness, than one of our Kitchen Cabinets. They are made to hold all the numerous things she uses in baking, etc., right to her hand, and saves her a thousand steps a day. Very fine Cabinets at \$20 up to \$40.

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FACTS OF THE CASE

Relief Officer Denies a Newspaper Story.

Relief Officer McMenemy is out with a contradiction to an item that appeared in a local paper last night to the effect that a lady with three small children went to him for help and that he refused to help them on account of the children not being born in Canada. The true facts of the case, he says, are as follows: A woman called to see him on Tuesday saying that she, with her husband and three children, had just arrived from Colborne, Ont., and that the husband had started to work at the Steel Plant and, according to the rules of the company, would not draw any money for two weeks. She stated that she did not have any money and asked him what would be the best thing for her to do under the circumstances. He told her to go to Secretary Linger, of the St. George's society, and ask Mr. Linger to speak to Mr. Champ, the president of the society, and also an

official of the Steel Plant, with a view to getting some help from the company. Instead of asking Mr. Linger what the relief officer had sent her to ask, she applied for money to move their furniture from the freight house, which Mr. Linger readily gave her. She again appeared before Mr. McMenemy yesterday morning, wanting some coal and after questioning her he sent the coal down. She stated that they had rented a home, but as the rent had to be paid in advance, which she could not do, she went to Immigration Inspector Sweeney and Mr. Sweeney communicated with Mr. Bull, of the British Welcome League in the city and had this matter arranged for her. The relief officer says he didn't even think of sending her to the Immigration office for assistance. He also stated last night 70 per cent. of the people who apply to him for help are foreign born.

The dispositions of some people are almost as striking as a suit of winter underwear. "Doesn't Ida keep her hardwood floors in perfect condition?" "Perfect! Every one who goes there is carried out with a fracture or a dislocation," Harper's Bazaar.

ST. JOHN'S CHAPTER

Annual Election and Banquet Last Evening.

St. John's Chapter, No. 6, Royal Arch Mason, held its annual meeting last night in Masonic hall, and besides electing officers for the coming year the members participated in an enjoyable social function. Ex. G. A. Griffith, grand superintendent of the fifth Masonic district, was present, and conducted the election of officers, which resulted as follows:

T. H. Hayhurst, 1. P. P.
W. W. Barlow, First Principal.
J. P. McDonald, Second Principal.
E. A. Vollick, Third Principal.
Geo. Britton, S. E.
J. W. Bousfield, S. W.
P. H. Hamburg, F. S.
P. H. Yapp, Treasurer.

A cordial reception was given to Grand Superintendent Griffith, and other visitors at the banquet which took place at the close of the meeting.

ing. T. H. Hayhurst, the retiring principal, was chairman, and called upon Mr. Griffith to respond to the toast to the grand chapter.

Ex-Comp. A. O'Dell responded to the toast to the visitors, as did also Ex-Comp. R. A. Thompson.

The musical programme of the evening was quite an elaborate one and was enjoyed by the whole gathering. The principal artists were Geo. Summers, who was at his best, and Harry Starnes and Geo. Evans, all of whom were warmly thanked for their contributions.

TIPS

Buying Christmas gifts? And are they wearables? The evening dresses are lovely. Merry and festive color combinations. Great rival sales as a foundation color.

Try with tonalities and narrow black fur is stunning. If buying the material rather than a ready-made, the pair shadows are safer. Gorgeous colorings naturally draw a lot of attention, and perhaps criticism, so one should be sure of oneself before attempting anything too compelling.

Education doesn't go far enough. It merely teaches us how to speak, not when.



